

Lyndonville

Freight Engine and Ten Cars Went Over Bank In A Derailment—Local News.

(Mrs. E. J. Blodgett, Correspondent.)

A bad freight wreck occurred Saturday between the Summit and Sutton station. An extra freight train, coming down the grade at a high rate of speed ran into a hand car loaded with rails. The engine was derailed, going down a high embankment and burying itself in the sand bank beyond. In the cab were Fred Wood, the engineer, John Frappied and H. H. Rogers. They went over the bank with the engine, but fortunately received no injury. Ten freight cars were thrown off by the spreading of the rails, some loaded with corn, flour, hides and miscellaneous freight. They were badly smashed and their contents scattered all over the landscape. The engine is so deeply embedded in the earth that it is found necessary to send to Greenfield, Mass., for cranes heavy enough to lift it back. The 11 o'clock train north bound carried up passengers and they were transferred so that people could go both north and south, but other trains were held up until after six o'clock when the track was cleared. The accident was probably caused by the fact that although the men on the handcar set a torpedo in their rear it was not far enough back so that the down-coming train could stop.

George Much is at home from Massachusetts, where he has been at work for some time.

George Sherry is suffering from a very sore foot, and is unable to do much work, although he goes to the mill every day. The trouble seems to be caused by poor circulation.

Miss Elizabeth Hills was called to Dover, N. H., a few days last week by the serious illness of an aunt who lives there.

Miss Bess Hutchinson was in Boston for a few days last week.

The Christmas club was very delightfully entertained last Wednesday by Miss Emma Goldsmith, at the home of Mrs. J. S. Schofield.

Will Bean started last week for California, where he goes to spend the winter on account of ill health. During his absence Mrs. Bean and the children will occupy a tenement in the Garrison house next the school house.

Miss Nellie Davis was in Springfield last week, where she went to attend a reception given by the Ever Onward club of the Congregational church.

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W. S. Wright, who has bought the mill formerly owned by Mr. McLean at Wheelock, has moved into the Webster house where B. J. Campbell has recently moved out.

Guy Harris, who has been the landlord at Hotel Lyndon, and given excellent satisfaction to the travelling public, has decided to return to his former position in the Fairbanks shops at St. Johnsbury, and has sold the lease of the hotel to Joseph J. Neagle, proprietor of the Pleasant View house. Mr. Neagle will run both places, using

Hotel Lyndon as the main hotel and keeping the other building for roomers. He has already rented the dining room to Grover Foster and H. A. Thomas for a restaurant, and the office to Dr. Sheehan for an office. Mr. Harris' people moved back to St. Johnsbury last week. They have all been very well liked here and their departure is much to be regretted.

Howard Elliott and Pliny Burns went to New York last Friday and will return with a new car for a customer in Island Pond.

On account of a misunderstanding about the hall, it was found necessary to postpone the dancing school until this week. So the first lesson will be on Friday, Nov. 26, at 4 and 8 p. m. Miss Madeline Randall, teacher.

Mrs. Robert French of St. Johnsbury was a caller in town one day last week.

Miss Effie Streeter of Concord is working for Mrs. Frank Leach.

Mr. Nichols has bought the Aldrich farm in Burke and moved his family there.

Mrs. Clara Smith returned to her home in Littleton, N. H., Saturday, after spending a week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. F. Wilder.

Mrs. Frank Leach and Mrs. F. E. MacDonald from East Burke, have been visiting relatives in Concord.

About 12 members of Crescent Masonic lodge accompanied Dr. H. M. Smith, district deputy, to West Burke last Wednesday evening, when he made his annual visitation. They worked the third degree, after which an oyster supper was served. On Saturday evening the third degree was worked on a candidate here, and a lunch enjoyed afterwards.

The Needlecraft Circle enjoyed a pleasant meeting last Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Edwin A. Daniels' home, the hostess being her sister, Mrs. Edwin Hough.

Juniper Branch lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, celebrated their annual "Children's Night" last Friday evening after their regular meeting. About 20 children were present and they all enjoyed a gay time with games and refreshments. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. George Sherry is in Lowell, Mass., caring for a relative who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland L. Parker spent last week with Mrs. Parker's brother, Dr. Willis Wilder in New York city. Mr. Parker was on his way home from Mount Clemens, Mich.

Mrs. John Cunningham spent Sunday in St. Johnsbury.

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Friday as a holiday as well as Thursday and the Institute closes Wednesday noon, not to re-open until Tuesday. Some of the students will take this opportunity to go home, but most of them will remain here.

Miss Genevieve King of St. Johnsbury is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. M. L. Guild. She has finished her school in Newark and will not return there, but expects to take a new school for the winter term.

A number of the friends of Miss Bess Hutchinson met at Mrs. H. E. Folsom's house Tuesday evening and gave her a kitchen shower, in anticipation of a coming delightful event. The opening and examination of the various articles, all useful in the arts of the kitchen, afforded much merriment and the evening was very pleasantly spent. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served.

Mrs. Eliza Belden is at home from Concord, where she has been spending some time with her brother.

George W. Knight has been spending a few days with his family here.

The Ladies Aid society of the Universalist church held their annual sale and supper in the G. A. R. hall last Saturday afternoon and evening. The supper was well attended, and the whole fair very successful, about \$75 being added to the treasury of the society.

Harry Winslow, principal of the school at East Burke, visited the graded school and Institute last week. Mrs. John Stafford and daughter, Ava, visited at her father, John Drown's, in East Burke, last week.

Mrs. Fred Shonoy spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Dickinson, at East Barnet.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Murray recently spent a few days at their former home in Groton.

The body of Mrs. Don H. Gray, a former resident of this town, was brought here last week for interment at Lyndon Center. She was born in Lyndon, her maiden name being, Betsey Houghton, and married here moving from here to Rhode Island, and then to Swansea, Mass., where she died. She leaves her husband and two step-sons.

Carl Bailey visited his parents in East Barnet recently.

Mrs. Wallace Powers and her daughter, Harriet, from Peacham spent last week with friends in town.

Mrs. M. E. Hartley will go to Wyoming the first of the year, where she has a son and daughter living. She has sold her millinery business to the two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Havers and Mrs. Georgia MacDonald Brooks, who will take possession soon after Christmas.

The Girls' Industrial class gave a farewell reception to Mrs. C. C. Waller last Saturday evening, just before her departure to Ohio. She has been the leader of the class and very much liked by them. An informal reception was held, and chafing dish refreshments were served. Mrs. Waller was presented with a cut glass dish and a sum of money. The class attended the Universalist supper last Saturday evening, and held their regular meeting afterwards.

John Cusson has moved into the tenement on Raymond street vacated

by W. S. Eastman, who has moved into the house he recently purchased of N. D. Martin, who has moved into the Blake house, vacated by Ernest Martin, who has moved into a room in the Ide block and is waiting for a tenement.

The Congregational Women's Foreign Missionary society met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. James J. Hutchinson.

Mrs. Marcella Landstrom has returned from East Burke, where she has been working at George Hubbard's.

The Community League are planning to keep the cove in good order for skating this winter, and are having a water pipe laid so that it can be flooded. Electric lights will be installed, and it is expected to keep it for a first class skating place all winter.

Mrs. Eliza Parmelee of Waterloo, Ia., is stopping with her sister, Mrs. Theodore Parker.

Mrs. Willis of Bellows Falls is the guest of her brother, Leroy S. Howe, Dr. Gile of Hancock, N. H., came here last week to see Mrs. Albert Spaulding, who is not very well.

At the annual meeting of the Lyndonville Driving club last week the following officers were elected:—President, Albert E. Ruggles; vice-president, C. W. Thompson; secretary and treasurer, P. R. Griswold; auditor, Roger Ladd; starter, A. A. Barber; judges, Joshua Bemis, L. R. Farrar, W. G. Hanson; marshal, P. C. Lynch; chairman classification committee, M. E. Hartley; in charge of the fair, J. E. Hartley.

Plans are made for some speed tests this winter. If there is snow enough, a matinee will be held on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Charles Hale has been visiting relatives in Lunenburg.

W. S. Knight of Manchester, Mass., was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. Edgar Brown.

Miss Beatrice Bemis of St. Albans has been spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. John Norris recently entertained her friend, Miss Stella Lawrence of Montreal.

Stanton Harris went to New York last week and on his return will join his family in St. Johnsbury.

ST. JOHNSBURY CENTER

Charles Butler Gives His Automobile Record For The Season—Personal.

(Edith McLaughlin, Correspondent.) Charles Butler has kept strict account of all the different automobiles he has ridden in this summer which is 68. He can also tell the owners names and numbers of over 140 cars.

James N. Pringle, Fred Willey and Mr. and Mrs. John Prescott visited Mrs. Prescott's parents in Walden last week.

Charles Bennett, who was taken to Brightlook hospital last week with blood poisoning in his arm, is doing as well as can be expected.

James N. Pringle, superintendent of schools in Portsmouth, N. H., attended the Ammonoosuc Valley Teachers' association in Woodsville, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 18 and 19, and gave an address both days. Friday night he was in the village to visit his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pringle, returning home Sunday afternoon.

The Universalist society extend a cordial invitation to all to meet with them in a Union Thanksgiving service at Green Mountain Grange hall, Tuesday evening, Nov. 24, at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Arthur Green will give the address.

Mrs. Louise Towle, who has been visiting at Passumpsic the past two weeks, returned home Saturday. Saturday night, Nov. 27, will be election of officers at Wide Awake Grange.

Mrs. Harley Ayer of East St. Johnsbury was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ayer, last Thursday. Mrs. Jennie Knapp of Brockton, Mass., is visiting her nephew, Ezra Leary, and family.

Mrs. Charles Hill of East St. Johnsbury visited her cousin Mrs. L. R. Huntley, last week.

Mrs. Miles of Passumpsic was the guest of Mrs. Horace Ayer last week. Mrs. F. H. Gee of Concord is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Massey.

Will La Pointe, John Prescott, Fred Willey, Will Sargent and Willis Pierce are among those who went deer hunting the past week. Willis Pierce and Will La Pointe were the only ones to bring back a deer.

Mr. McMartin, a student from Dartmouth college, supplied the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dow finished moving their goods to their new home in Arlington last Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Morrill have moved into the tenement over the store vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Dow.

Horace Woodruff of Bangor, Me., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Q. Woodruff.

Shepherd Pomona Grange No. 2 met in Green Mountain Grange hall last Wednesday evening. All the granges except one in the jurisdiction were represented and each reported an increase in membership. The following officers were elected:—Master, D. D. Gray; overseer, C. L. Hall; lecturer, Jennie Hovey; steward, James Leaton; assistant steward, John Bennett; treasurer, A. M. Peck; secretary, Mrs. D. D. Gray; chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Moore; gate keeper, Walter Bennett; Pomona, Annie Hall; Ceres, Ellen Louie; Flora, Florence Clement; lady assistant steward, Bertha Louie. At the close of the meeting the program which consisted of vocal and instrumental music, readings, a debate, roll call and a discussion was of a very interesting nature and well carried out. The next regular meeting is to be held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22, at Wide Awake Grange hall.

At the regular meeting of Green Mountain Grange, No. 1, which was held last Saturday evening, six were elected to membership and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Master, Raymond Whitney; overseer, Homer Shattuck; lecturer, Lena Johnson; steward, Walter Bennett; assistant steward, John Bennett; chaplain, Ella Hall; treasurer, Mary Hallett; secretary, Edith McLaughlin; gate keeper, John Clough; Ceres, Florence Goss; Pomona, Doris Johnson; Flora, Mary McArthur; lady assistant steward, Dorothy Farnham. Suggestions for the "Good of the Order," were responded to by U. G. Goss,

W. C. Hall and A. H. Olcott. At the close of the meeting the following short program was rendered: Song by Grange; reports of the crops raised the past season was given by the farmers present, followed by a discussion, "How To Improve Them Next Year," piano solo, Minnie Shattuck; song by Grange. At the next meeting, Dec. 1, it is to be "Neighbor's Night," and the following granges have been invited: Wide Awake, No. 66; North Danville, No. 358 and Concord, No. 408. At the meeting to be held on Dec. 18, "Co-operative and Direct Selling," is one of the subjects to be taken up and it is earnestly desired that every farmer will try to inform himself on this subject and then come to the meeting and take an active part in same.

EAST CABOT

(Mrs. Wm. D. Barr, Correspondent.) News has been received here from N. H. Cate of his safe arrival at his new home in Rockford, Ill. He is well and enjoys his new home. Sunday, the 7th of November it was 70 degrees above zero in the shade there.

H. C. Libbey of Hardwick spent several days at W. I. Abbott's, last week. Mr. and Mrs. John Roy of West Barnet spent Sunday at H. G. Roy's. Joseph Hazlet of Cabot spent Sunday at Gilbert Hill's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Abbott were guests at Albert Badger's at East Montpelier recently.

Ernest Bolton has finished work for Harry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paige and son and Mrs. Flora Cobb of Montpelier were at Ira Reed's Sunday.

Eunice Chandler who has been very sick for two weeks is slowly gaining.

C. H. Austin and daughter Marcella visited at Mr. and Mrs. John Austin and other relatives at Manchester, N. H., last week.

Fred Houghton was the first lucky hunter here, getting a deer Monday the 15th.

Miss Edna Walbridge who has been visiting at S. H. Houghton's has gone to West Barnet to visit relatives before going to her home at Woodsville.

Walter Wier returned Tuesday from a few days' stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wier at Granville.

J. C. Gray of Barnet visited at Ira Reed's Sunday.

William Smith has rented Aura Clarke's farm and moved his family there.

J. W. Lindley of Boston was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Albert Burnham of Sutton is moving into the William Smith farm.

Frank Walbridge of Woodsville, N. H., was in this place repairing telephones and lines Friday.

There was a rainbow Friday afternoon. In the evening there was a thunder shower accompanied by vivid lightning.

The entertainment at the school house was very pleasant. The scholars did themselves and teacher credit and showed what can be done by hard work and perseverance. The boxes netted \$7.81.

Miss Tanager comes back for the winter term after a week's vacation at her home in Marshfield.

Miss Inez Abbott was home over Sunday from Hardwick.

S. A. Chandler, Jr., of Danville came home Saturday for a week's stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chandler.

SOUTH WHEELOCK

(Mrs. Lucy E. Weed, Correspondent.) Lewis Liberty and Frank Rock of Morrisville spent a part of last week at J. R. Rock's.

William Thresher of Lyndon and Eugene Dubois of Orleans were at Henry Smith's.

Agnes Sherburne returned home last Wednesday from Kirby where she has been visiting her uncle, Edw. Mitchell.

Mrs. L. C. Smith and son, Max, and Mrs. L. W. Ayer of Hardwick visited last week at A. E. Weed's.

There have been quite a number of deer killed in this place the first week. Five were killed by boys under 20. Monday George Weed shot a doe, Lev. Liberty of Morrisville a buck. Tuesday Clayton Blake a buck. Wednesday Gordon Smith a doe and George Jenkins of Lyndon a doe, Friday, Eddie Reed and Clayton Blake each shot a doe.

While Carol Sherburne was playing in the barn Sunday he fell on a nail which penetrated the knee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rodgers visited relatives in Lyndon one day last week. John Buckley was in Greensboro last Wednesday on business.

Mrs. John Rock began her school at the Mountain last Monday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Lord Sunday, Nov. 21. They now have five girls and five boys.

Program for State Grange Meeting

The following is the program for the 44th annual session of the Vermont State Grange, which is to be held in State Storey in Burlington, Dec. 14, 15, and 16.

Tuesday, Dec. 14, 11 o'clock—Opening Grange in fifth degree. Appointment of standing committees. Report of the executive committee. Reports of the deputies, not to exceed two minutes.

Afternoon session, 1:30 o'clock—Annual address of worthy master. Reports of officers. Introduction of resolutions without debate. Reports of deputies.

Evening session, 8 o'clock—A banquet will be held. O. L. Martin will act as toastmaster.

Wednesday, Dec. 15, 9 o'clock—Report of committee on credentials. Report of committee on division of labor and master's address. Discussion on co-operative fire insurance. Election of members of the executive committee. Reports of Pomona Granges.

Afternoon session, 1:30 o'clock—Exemplification of the third and fourth degrees by Champlain Valley Grange, No. 400, Burlington.

Evening session, 8 o'clock—Grange opened in the sixth degree and conferring the same. Grange opened in the fourth degree. Reports of committee on mileage.

Thursday, Dec. 16, 9 o'clock—Reports of committees on finance, education, resolutions, good of the order, co-operation, transportation, publication, agriculture, amendments, and by-laws, claims, and grievance, dormant Granges, trials and appeals, transaction of unfinished business.

Read the ads and save money.

EAST BURKE

List of School Children of Special Merit—Local Happenings.

(Mrs. B. F. Humphrey, Correspondent.) Those attending school the past week in the primary room without a mark were, Ruth Jeffrey, Milton Cole, Leo Cole, Howard Davis, Carl Harris, Leighton Phillips. Special mention should be made of Jessie Storey who has attended school three years with only one mark. Those receiving highest average in work were: Grade I, Ruth Farmer; grade II, Florence Walter; grade III, Jessie Storey; grade IV, Leighton Phillips. The prize offered for best work in spelling was won by Leighton Phillips. The bird house made by the boys in their carpentry class was erected near the school house with two feeding stations to enable the little folks to become better acquainted with their feathered friends.

Warren Drown of West Burke was here on business Tuesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Colby went Thursday to Rochester where he has accepted a position.

Ray Smith has finished work for L. T. Fraser and with his wife has been the past week at his father, Adna Smith's.

Mrs. Nancy Hosford from East Haven is spending the week with Mrs. Harris Smith.

Louise Mathers is able to sit up a part of the time.

Mrs. Charles Ball was a business visitor in West Burke Wednesday.

Joel Bean from Lacombe, N. H., is visiting relatives in town.

Harry Winslow spent a part of last week at Warren Drown's in West Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Heath of Montpelier are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solon Walter.

Mrs. Rob McGill and baby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Gas, Saturday, accompanied by Miss Glen Streeter.

Mrs. Noah Hudson of East Haven was a recent visitor at Harris Smith's. B. F. Pike, H. E. Pike, Robert and Elizabeth Pike and Miss Lena Warren from Waterford were recent visitors of Mrs. Hattie Wright.

Mrs. Fred Chabot closed her fifth term of school in the White district last Thursday.

Prof. Harry W. Winslow was a week-end visitor of his aunt, Mrs. Charles Thompson in Lyndonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gero and family spent Sunday with relatives in Lyndonville.

Charles Wright is visiting friends and relatives in Concord, Waterford and Lyndon, N. H., for a week.

Ray Smith is sick.

Dana Cox who has been quite sick for several weeks is not gaining.

Mrs. Charles Newman from Sutton and Mrs. Fred Chabot of West Burke visited friends in town Wednesday.

Bob De Haven and Homer Coulter have returned from the Canadian Northwest.

Miss Floy Gibson is visiting friends and relatives in Newport. She goes from there to Enosburg Falls to her father's for Thanksgiving.

Mr. Allie Hubbard from Boston is in town for a few days looking after his business here.

The Christian Endeavor society and Epworth League hold their meetings this Wednesday evening on account of the second entertainment in the lecture course coming on Thursday evening.

Thomas Hall moved his family Monday to East Hardwick where he has rented a farm from Herbert Doyle.

The remains of Mrs. Flora Wise were brought here from Manchester Tuesday when the funeral was held in the Methodist church. The interment was at Woodmont cemetery in the family lot.

Fred Davis, Roy Smith, George Phillips, Duncan Fraser, Willie Phillips and Charlie Jones have been among the lucky ones here to get deer.

The Boy Scouts of America, members of troop I, East Burke, met at the rooms of their Scout Master and all sent letters to their brother scout, Michael J. Cohen, who was called to his home in Andover, Mass., by his mother being seriously hurt in an automobile accident.

WEST BURKE

George De Greeny Injured In A Shooting Accident—Personal.

(Mrs. H. L. Walter, Correspondent.) George De Greeny met with quite a serious accident last week when his rifle back-fired and hit him in the head. The cause of the accident was the barrel of the rifle not having been screwed in tight.

Mrs. Jennie Angell underwent an operation at Brightlook hospital Saturday morning. Drs. Fairbanks and Fitch performed the operation.

Mrs. Arthur Godding accompanied Mr. Godding's mother to Newport, where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

The many friends of R. W. Roundy will be sorry to learn he is quite ill.

Mrs. A. G. Jamieson is quite sick at her home here.

H. L. Bishop and wife returned Monday from a two week's visit with their two sons and other relatives in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

Mrs. W. A. Whitman went Monday to meet her husband in Omaha, Neb., and from there they go south for the winter.

Mrs. Alice Gray visited relatives in Newark the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Chappell of East Burke were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Chappell.

Mrs. Mary Cheney accompanied Mrs. W. A. Whitman as far as Lyndonville and called on friends while there.

Miss Annie Foster from the west is the guest of her cousin Mrs. R. W. Roundy.

Charles Fletcher received word of his brother, James' death at Lowell.

Mr. Fletcher has been in poor health for several weeks and this comes as a severe blow to him.

Miss Ruth Leach of Montpelier is at her home here for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Draper will spend Thanksgiving with her brother at Newport.

Mrs. Jennie Craig and Mrs. Myrtle Allard were called to Magog, Monday by the death of their aunt.

Mrs. Jennie Craig spent part of last week with her friend, Mrs. Perkins, at St. Johnsbury.

William Buzzell remains very low. Mrs. Gardner Shores of St. Johnsbury is with her sister, Mrs. Buzzell for the present.

Mrs. Henry Bugbee was in St. Johnsbury with her cousin, Mrs. Erastus Hallett, last week.

Rev. J. Q. Angell changed pulpits with Rev. Mr. Keeling of East Burke Sunday.

Mrs. Lilla